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just soil and water conservation. We need it for taxation purposes, evaluation. So, I would be hopeful that this body would turn down Senator Dickinson's motion and use the money and get the money from the state fund.

PRESIDENT: Senator Dickinson, do you want to close debate on this matter?

SENATOR DICKINSON: Yes, Mr. President. I think that Senator Burbach just made a better speech than I could have put together to support my....

PRESIDENT: Senator Keyes, for what purpose....

SENATOR KEYES: Before he closed debate I wanted to ask Senator Dickinson a question if I could?

PRESIDENT: All right, ask him.

SENATOR KEYES: Senator Dickinson, can you tell me where the soil conservation held their convention last year, was it in Hawaii, or Nebraska where it could do some good?

PRESIDENT: Come on Senator.

SENATOR DICKINSON: I don't know where it was last year but next month it is going to be in Hawaii.

PRESIDENT: Senator Dickinson, proceed with your closing.

SENATOR DICKINSON: Senator Burbach, as I said, and I hope that he is listening just made a good closing speech for me. The Resource Development Fund, as I understood it instigated and implemented to help develop the resources in the State of Nebraska. Senator Burbach just told all of the things for which the results of a soil survey would be used, and everyone of them pertained to developing resources in the State of Nebraska. I totally respect Senator Kremer's implementation and introduction of this bill three years ago, and his intent for it. But, I have seen too many times when Legislative intent was far deviated from, but I wish that I had as much faith as he does in the agencies which implement these bills. The natural resources commission and the local districts of not only NRD's but other entities of government be in existence long after Senator Kremer, Senator Kelly and myself and the rest of us are gone from this Legislature. I have great concern as to how this money will be used. The applications that have come in for it, I think have indicated to some degree the frivolous, and I use the word sincerely in this case, methods for which it would have been used, and it is only the watchfulness of Senator Kelly and Senator Kremer and others that have probably tightened up the rules and regulations so that it will be used according to the Legislative intent. But, in line with the Governor's message yesterday and our program across the state, this simply will keep funds from being tapped and the General Fund from being tapped and it seems to me a perfectly legitimate use of natural resource or a resource development fund to complete what has been so